INQUIRY INTO IMPACT OF THE CBD AND SOUTH EAST LIGHT RAIL PROJECT

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I am dismayed at the impact that the City to South East light rail project is having on our suburbs of Kensington and Kingsford. To impose the construction of this project on the main road into the city over several years is appalling. Extension of the underground rail from Bondi Junction would have been much more viable. If the light rail will have more capacity than the buses, this maybe in part because of the elimination of stops and that the majority of passengers will be standing instead of sitting - hardly improvements! Given the large increases in the cost of the project as well as the completion time, the management of the project seems to be very inadequate.